GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:418
ANSWERED ON:19.07.2016
Agricultural/Animal Husbandry Institutions
Jaunpuria Shri Sukhbir Singh

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE ???? ??? ???? ?????? ?????? be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has proposal to open Agricultural/Animal Husbandry institutions in rural areas of the country including Rajasthan to enable the rural youth to get employment;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) the number of such colleges/ institutions opened by the Government during the last five years and the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) to (c): Agriculture including Agriculture Education being a State subject, setting up of such institutions comes under the purview of the respective State Government. However, to improve the quality of research and for attaining excellence in specific strategic areas in education and research and capacity building the State Agriculture Universities are being supported in specific niche areas under the XII Plan Scheme "Strengthening and Development of Higher Agricultural Education in India".

******